Senior Calendar and Checklist 2012-2013

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**SEPTEMBER:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**ACT Test ($34) Registration**

September 8 August 17

October 27 September 21

December 8 November 2

February 9 January 11

April 13 March 8

June 8 May 3

[www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

**SAT Test ($50) Registration**

October 6 September 7

November 3 October 4

December 1 November 1

January 26 December 28

March 9 February 8

May 4 April 5

June 1 May 2

[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

( ) Start College Applications (*online preferred*)

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( ) Letters of Recommendation (*2-3*)

( ) College Essay (*1-2 pages double-spaced*)

( ) Register for ACT/SAT Tests – see chart to the right 🡪

( ) Start applying for scholarships

[www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory](http://www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory) or [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

( ) College Opportunity Fund

<https://cof.college-assist.org/COFApp>

**OCTOBER:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) Continue completing college applications, essays and letters of rec

( ) College opportunity fund

( ) Register to retake ACT/SAT if not satisfied with current scores

( ) Continue Scholarship Search

( ) Attend college fairs and visits at TJ and other locations around the

Denver-Metro area - Visits at TJ sign up on Naviance: <https://connection.naviance.com/thomjeff> or go to [www.tjjournal.com](http://www.tjjournal.com)

Out of State College Fairs –

**Thursday, October 11 (6:30-8:30pm) John F. Kennedy HS**

**Saturday, October 13 (10 a.m.-2 p.m.) Douglas County HS**

In-State College Fair **- Monday, October 22** in morning, exact time TBA (TJ Gymnasium)

**NOVEMBER:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) TJ’s Month to send college applications ( ) Still time to retake ACT/SAT tests

( ) Apply for Scholarships ( ) Denver Scholarship application opens ([www.denverscholarship.org](http://www.denverscholarship.org))

( ) Financial Aid Information Session at TJ – **Thursday, December 13 from 6-7:30 p.m. in Room 108**

**DECEMBER:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

( ) Continue Applying for Scholarships – [www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory](http://www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory)

( ) Turn in college applications by Monday, December 5th to ensure your transcripts are sent before winter break.

**JANUARY:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** **FEBRUARY:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) FAFSA is available [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) ( ) Continue to work on FAFSA, complete this month!

( ) Get your 2012 taxes done ASAP (parents and students) **FAFSA Workshops** at TJ in Room 108/105:

( ) Continue applying for scholarships February 14 & February 26 from 6-7:30 p.m.

( ) Complete any last minute college applications ( ) Continue applying for scholarships

**MARCH:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **APRIL:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

( ) FAFSA Apps should be submitted no later than **March 1** ( ) Denver Scholarship Application due: **April 1**

( ) Be sure your Denver Scholarship App is complete. ( )Sign up online for New Student Orientations

( ) Scholarships, Scholarships, Scholarships! ( ) Scholarships, Scholarships, Scholarships!

( ) Living on campus? Start filling out housing applications ( ) Continue working on housing applications

( ) Students will start receiving financial aid award letters ( ) **FAFSA Wrap Up**: Room 108, April 23, 6-7:30 pm

( )Don’t forget to complete the **College Opportunity Fund!** <https://cof.college-assist.org/COFApp>

**MAY/JUNE/JULY/AUGUST:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) Throughout **May**, enrollment deposits will be due, varies by school and will not be required by every school.

( ) **June and July** students should plan on attending *New Student Orientations* and the *DSF Transition Workshops*

( ) **JULY 15 – Financial Aid must be COMPLETE** in order to receive Fall semester payments on time!

For financial aid to be complete, please contact your college/university financial aid office and ask if your file is complete. ***Note:*** Some students are selected for VERIFICATION and they will need to provide a completed Dependent Verification Worksheet, send copies of their parents W-2’s and 1040 tax forms to prove need.

( ) **Mid-August**, students begin moving into the residence halls and starting classes.

**Questions, see Ms. Rocha in Room 114. (Phone) 720.423.7134 (F) 720.423.7234**

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